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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6238

BILL NUMBER: SB 52

NOTE PREPARED: Nov 28, 2011

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: HIV Testing.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Becker

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL**

IMPACT: No Fiscal Impact

Summary of Legislation: This bill allows a physician to screen or test an individual for the antibody or antigen to HIV unless the individual to be tested indicates a refusal to consent to the test in writing. (Current law prohibits a physician from performing the test without the oral or written consent of the individual.) The bill requires a physician to document a refusal by an individual or the individual's representative. The bill also provides that under certain circumstances, a physician may screen or test an individual for HIV even if the individual has refused in writing to consent to the screening or test.

(The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the Health Finance Commission.)

Effective Date: July 1, 2012.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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